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Review of the Emergency Alert System)	EB Docket No. 04-296
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March 1, 2010.⁷ This conference will bring together representatives of the Commission, the Federal Emergency Management Agency, Capitol Hill, and the broadcasting industry to discuss EAS, public warning and reliability, and emergency preparedness issues generally. NAB states that broadcasters intend to use this opportunity to address specifically the proposed nationwide testing of EAS and other matters raised in the *Second FNPRM*.⁸

3. It is the policy of the Commission that extensions of time are not routinely granted.⁹ However, such extensions may be warranted when, among other things, the additional time will serve the public interest.¹⁰ In the instant proceeding, we find that providing the requested limited extension would be beneficial to the development of a complete record on the issues and that granting the extension of time requested by NAB therefore serves the public interest. We therefore extend the comment deadline to Monday, **March 15, 2010**, and the reply comment deadline to Tuesday, **April 13, 2010**.

4. Accordingly, **IT IS ORDERED** that, pursuant to Sections 4(i) and 4(j) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 154(i) and (j), and Sections 0.191, 0.392, and 1.46 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.191, 0.392, and 1.46, the Motion for Extension of Time filed by the National Association of Broadcasters **IS GRANTED**, and the deadlines for filing comments and reply comments in response to the *Second FNPRM* **ARE EXTENDED** to March 15, 2010 and April 13, 2010, respectively.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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⁷ *Id.* at 1-2.

⁸ *Id.* at 2.

⁹ 47 C.F.R. § 1.46(a).

¹⁰ *See, e.g.*, Service Rules for Advanced Wireless Services in the 2155-2175 MHz Band, WT Docket No. 07-195; Service rules for Advanced Wireless Services in the 1915-1920 MHz, 1995-2000 MHz, 2020-2025 MHz and 2175-2180 MHz Bands, WT Docket No. 04-356, *Order*, 23 FCC Rcd 10527, 10528 ¶ 4 (WTB 2008).